

# Madison County Citizen Corps Council

## Minutes

### December 14, 2006

Meeting call to order by Melinda Tichenor	Frank Ford, DEM Susan Miller, FCCLA Wayne Redfield, Twin CERT Steve Orr, Sherriff's office Elaine Forsberg, Lions Club Leatta Danielson, Faith based Jill Steeley, Public Health
Minutes	Motion for approval was made by Steve Orr, seconded by Frank and passed unanimously
Financials	We need to have the remaining money from the grant expended by the end of January. We have one more CERT class and that will pretty much expend the funds. Each CERT class costs about \$700 excluding the packs, books, medical supplies, and field guides. Frank has approached the county commissioners for some continued funding for the CERT trainings.
CERT course – Twin and Ennis, Ennis Bazaar	The Twin Bridges CERT class had 5 participants. There is a CERT class scheduled in Ennis January 6, 13 and 14. We will try to have a CERT course manager class on Friday January 5 <sup>th</sup> lead by Charlie Hanson. There will be a review simulation for all Madison County CERT members in January 14 after the one for the present CERT class. Melinda will e-mail Steve and Jill the CERT member list for their records.
County Planning and Trainings- Traffic control	The traffic control training will be January 16 <sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at the Ennis Firehall. We will try to have a radio training in February of 2007.
72 hour Kits	We have 2 kits available for sale.
Neighborhood Watch	We can start with a promotion of "Know your Neighbors" to start with. Darcie _____ and hopefully Jaime Roberts along with sheriff Schenk will have a separate meeting in January to get things started. We need to have a chairman of this effort.
Identifying Elderly and Disabled in the Communities – Brochure	Jill will be working on an annex for the county plan to address the emergency needs of special needs people. The brochure will need to be altered to help get the information for the e-911 system data base. Melinda will work with Jill and Karen Brown of the county on the changes of the brochure.
County Resource List	Frank needs some assistance with the county recourse list. Melinda will get it reformatted and she will e-mail the sections to Citizen Corps Council members around the county to help add and correct the information.
Affiliate Reports	Leatta – Still working on the facility inventories for the churches to be Red Cross shelters Wayne – Will work on the church inventory in the Ruby area. FCCLA – They will be providing the food for the CERT training in Ennis Sherriff – Traffic control training DES – Chris Mumme is the new Coordinator for the County DES and Frank will be the Public Safety Communications Coordinator for the county
Planning goals for 2007	Leatta and Melinda will work on a goal plan or business plan for the future that will be available for the county and others that we may want to apply for grants with. Frank will help with the wording and final assembly.
Brain storm for Ideas	Maybe we should invest in some walkie talkie type radios for use on a CERT event. Future trainings could be on the use of the CERT forms and Jill would like to plan a mock large scale medication dispensing site.
Next meeting	Jan 11 <sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the basement of the Madison Valley Hospital